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THE LAST WEEK WESTSIDE SALE. ONLY 5 DAYS, On account of the unprecedented rush on the opening days, we have decided to continue the sale for the week only instead of 14 days, as previously an nounced. The sale so far has been the success of the season, and no effort will be lacking on our part to make the closing days even more attractive for buyers. For full particulars see circulars, or call, and be convinced that this is a genuine bargain sale, Sale will Close Saturday, Feb. 4th. The Westalde. J. Hutcheson & Co.



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To Watchmakers, Jewellers, Etc.

As the firm of Lange & Co., SG Douglas atreet, Victoria, B.C. Is about retiring from business, they offer the price a large of materials (both watchmaker and very low price a large of materials (both watchmaker afterwellers); also the took with the trade. There are still some Diamonds and Gold and Silver Watches left from the stock, and can be purchased at very low prices.

AUCTION

To-Morrow, Tuesday, 2 p.m.

Dog Food....

Ottawa, Jan. 30.—Mr. Joseph Pope, under secretary of state, who came here from Washington last Friday, returned to-day with documents for the Canadian mmissioners. It is expected the com-

CHANGES HIS NAME. Englishmian Adopts That of His American Father in Law.

London, Jan. 39.—It is announced that Queen Victoria has been pleased, at the duter of Mr. London. 4 McCornick, of Chicago, to grant a license for Mr. Frederick E. Goodhardt to assume the name of McCornick. The morning Post says: "We believe this is the first occasion upon which a Britisher has added his American wife's madden name to his own." Mr. Goodhardt is the Conservative candidate for levenoport.

IN MEMORY OF KING CHARLES.

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midon, Jan. 30.— The anniversary of
execution of King Charles I., who was
aded at Whitehall on January 30,
, was celebrated to-duly by the Len'st and Jacobites leagues in London
the provinces. A number of wreaths
floral crosses were deposited at the
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leading in the common consistency
and florabites, who stood bareled during the ceremony. Conspicuous
ong the tributes was a shield, surmountby a crown of immortelles, from the
erican Jacobites. Attached to it was a
te-silk ribbon inseribed, "America isabers her martyred King."

DIED ON THE TRANSFORT.

Punta Del Cada, Azores Island, Jan. The Spanish fransport Eins has arrive from Cienfuegos, Island of Cuba, weatriated Spanish troops on board. The the soldiers died on the voyage,

Treaty, Filipinos inflict Barbarous Pun-

Sensational Stories of Cruelties to Women and Girls From Manila - Priests Are Starved to Death.

New York, Jan. 30,-The Herald has the following:

Manila, Sunday, Jan. 29.-The Spanish evil prisoners have not yet been released. Tales of suffering, hunger and dishonor come from the provinces. Young dishonor come from the provinces. Young Spanish girls are forced to live in open shaine with lowborn Indians, their parents being powerless. They appealed to Aguinaldo. His reply was a letter from a dishonored child, exacted, after God knows what suffering, saying she is happy and contented. Ladies have suffered dishonor to save their husbands from cruel treatment. Five priests have died in one province from hunger and cruelty, although \$60,000 has been sent-by the corporation for their maintenance. They appeal to the American hation in the

A FAMILY DROWNED.

Toledo, Ohio, Jan. 30.—The loss of an entire family in Lake Erie is reported here. On one of the islands of the Bass group lived a family named Robinson. The family consisted of father, mother, boat was used and the entire family started on the perilous journey. A battered clinker boat has been found, and the body of a woman reported to have been found recently near Port Burwell, on the Canadian shore, is sup-posed to be that of Mrs. Robinson. The other bodies have not been found.

Nile Valley Are Now Being Discussed. Paris, Jan. 30.—The Figaro to-day declares that the negotiations between the British and French governments do not concern, as supposed, Newfoundland

The Question of the Republic's Rights in the

FRENCH COURT OF CASSATION ..

Important Reform Proposed by the Gov-

erment.

Paris, Jan. 28.—A semi-official note issued this afternoon says an extraordinary meeting of the cabinet has decided that the minister of justice shall submit to the chamber of deputies a bill providing that cases of trial revision are to be brought before the united sections of the court of cassation whenever the criminal section has pronounced: upon the admissibility of an application for the revision of previous judgments. The decision of the government is most unfavorable to the revisionists and is a serious reflection upon the criminal court, though its ultimate effect, if the united courts of cassation should favor a revision of the Dreyfus trial, would undoubtedly leave the anti-revisionists no ground for further agitation.

Paris, Jan. 30.—The chamber of deputies to-day by a vote of 346 to 189 adopted the government proposal to submit to the committee entrusted with such matters the bill providing that cases of trial revision shall be brought before the united sections of the court of cassation.

M. Beaurepaire's Charges.

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Paris, Jan. 30. M. Queenay Beaurepaire, the former president of the civil section of the court of cassation, in an artiels in the Echo de Paris to-day, urges the members of the chamber of deputies not to be satisfied with the reading of the letter of M. Mazan, first president of the court of cassation, on the subject of M. de Beaurepaire's charges, but to insist upon reading the evidence in the case. He asserts that M. Mazau received testimony regarding certain members of the criminal court liable to penalties, and added that he is convinced that the deputies will not allow the inquiry to be stiffed, but he continues, if they refuse, to act he will do so himself by inducing the witnesses to allow him to publish their evidence.

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The Minister of War, M. de Freycinet, has authorized Major Gandeliette,
of the Republican Guard, to challenge
M. Urbain Gobier, author of "The Army
Against the Nation," which caused a
great outery owing to its severe condemnation of militarism, and which led
to a debate in the chamber of deputies.
The article is considered insulting to
Major Gandellette.

ON A BURNING ROOF.

rounded by Flames, Ten Chicago Firemen Have to Jump for Their Lives.

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Icer, Jan. 26th, 1899.

THAT FIETHY PRACTICE.

Awful Death of a Young Girl from "Kissing the Book."

New York Jan. 30.—It has already been said that Magistrate Pool has declared there shall be no more Bible kissing in his court Essex market, and has ordered the book to put out of the way.

TO PROTECT THE FORESTS.

Washington, D.C., Jan. 30.—A meeting of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association was held here to-day with a view of directing the attention of the American members of the joint high commission to the present need of a policy being adopted which shall protect American forests, by securing in the treaty now in the course of preparation between the United States and Canada a revocation of the present duty on print paper and, pulp from Canada.

Mr. C. W. Knapp was elected chairman and William C. Bryant, of the Rrooklyn Times, secretary of the meeting.

After a brief and informal discussion

After a brief and informal discussion a statement of the views of the American Publishers' Association was adopted, ordered to be printed and presented to the members of the commission, and to representatives and senators in congress.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

and McPhillips, the opposition candidates

for parliament in British Columbia, will come

up for re-election, having gone to the people for a vindication of their broad policy of

equality (aliens with Canadians in Canadian

gold fields?) which represents the voters of

that province . . . The clever attorneygeneral is leaving no stone unturned to de-

feat those men who have no sympathy with

his original methods of administration . . . He did become such an one (the great ad-

ministration apostle of Southwestern Can-

ada) in a limited sense, and it was to

strengthen that position that he caused the

Alien Exclusion Bill to become a law. He

even went so far as to force out of office those reputable men who did not think as he

did about discriminating against the people

of the United States, resurrecting a law

that had been dead thirty years to do it."-

Seattle Post-Intelligencer, Jan. 26th, 1899. *********************

"In a few days Messrs. Turner, Hall

WILL BE HELD IN JOHNS BROS. HALL

TO-NIGHT

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

L. P. Duff and Raiph Smith, M.P.F., will ddress the meeting. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

GRAND RALL

MASS MEETING

Tuesday, January 31st

INSTITUTE HALL British Columbia for a British People.

ADDRESSES BY GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES HON. JOS. MARTIN, M.P.P.

RALPH SMITH, M.P.P. E. V. BODWELL, ESQ. JUMPED INTO THE SEA,

- To morrow is the last day but

cared there shall be no more Rible kissing in his court Essex market, and has ordered the book to put out of the way. Magistrate Pool tells why he took this course. A young girl coutracted a horrible disease through pressing her lips to the court Bible and died of the effects of it. The name of the girl the magistrate will not disclose. He has learned the facts of the case, however, and they are authentic. A few days after giving her testimony the girl's lips began to swell. They grew worse earch hour. She went to a physician, who at the first glance saw that she was suffering from a horrible blood disease, and that her entire system was completely poisoned. He questioned her and finally learned that she had kissed the Bible in Essex market court. A powerful remedy was applied, but was unavailing, and after a period of suffering and of horror she died.

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Denver, Colo, Jan. 30.—A special to the Eews from Cripple Creek, Colorado, in regard to the recent strike in Pabella ground, quotes Manager Kilburn as saying: "I do not like anything that wall excite the people any more than they are at present. The metallic ore body has doubled in size and both ways since yesterslay morning. Some of the pieces of ore are 80 per cent, gold. I never saw such mineral and I do not believe that its like, was ever mined in this or any other camp in the world. We have had no assays taken on the rock, but a ton of it sould be picked out that would ran anywhere from \$50,000 to \$200,000 per ton. Armed guards are watching the property. The strike was male in a new ore body at a depth of \$20 feet below the surface. The chute has been out at the soventh level 200 feet above, and also at the fifth. At the latter place at assay was obtained in the rock, but a saw was obtained in the rock in the property. The strike was male in a new or body at a depth of \$20 feet below the surface. The chute has been out at the soventh level 200 feet above, and also at the fifth. At the latter place at assay was obtained in the rock of the drift in two feet of ore that went better than \$1,000 per ton. There is blocked out in the one level between the regiment and Victoria West, which he held in a win for the latter by 5 to 3. The ways will be hold presented to the members of the commission, and to representatives and senators in congress.

18 SIR ARTHUR CURTIS DEAD?

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them. Either the man was guilty of the crime with which he was charged to he was base-sea. It mility shy not hang, him? If innocent, why punish hang, him? If innocent, why punish hang, him? If innocent, why punish him at all? The petition praying for his pardon yas fathoms long—it might have been miles—for not a sensible soul in the land, would have refused to sign. It. No doubt the Home Secretary knows what he is about. But nobody che does, and the only conclusion the humble layman can arrive at is that there are more things in this British law of, which we are all so justly-proud than were ever dreamed of in the philosophy of Horatio.

Experiments in the matter of casting oil upon troubled waters are made with the regularity of the appearance of the sea scrpent. They are invariably pronounced a complete success, but they never get any further. The other day folks have been a milpond at the expense of a few gallons of paraffine, with the result that one of the channel boats steamed smoothly in and landed its passengers with ease and comfort. Coal oil despite Mr. Rockefeller's billions is still fairly cheap, and one marvels why it is not more frequently poured out in ilbation to this angry deep. But John Bull probably is averse to wasting anything in the shape of liquid.

By the way, he still obstinately refuses to connect his London police court with the telephone system—the Daily Mail's offer to defray the expense notwithstanding. Nor has he yet found a leader for his Liberal party.

ARTHUR SCAIFE.

DINGLEY'S SUCCESSOR.

Washington, Jan. 28. President Me-Kinley has appointed Representative Parne, of New York a member of the joint high commission to fill the va-cancy in that body caused by the death of Mr. Dingley. Mr. Payne also suc-ceeds Mr. Dingley as chairman of the ways and meaas committee of the house. He represents the twenty-eighth con-gressional district of New York, and is now nerving his seventh term.

BRITISH BUSINESS.

How Ceell Rhodes Assisted the Govern-



rags and tatters into the richest silks and sat-ins. There are thousands of young women to day who leed a fairy god mother who will touch them with the wand of health. A girl's best

CANADIAN BREVITIES.

Brantford, Jan. 28. Eugineer D. Westaway was killed at the Verity Plough Works to day through the collapse of the floor over the holler room. Windsor, Jan. 28. The nucle of Piper Findheter, Roderick Mackenzie, was found dying alone yesterday. He had arranged to leave for Scotland this week, and it is supposed he was drugged and robbed.

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Halifax, Jan. 28.—Dr. McKay came ap from Lawlor's Island this afternoon and said the Doukhobors are all apparently in good health, there being no sign of smallpox in any more of them.

Winnipeg, Jan. 28.—Frank McAllister's residence, Delaware, has been destroyed by fire. The occupants had a narrow escape.

The winners at Brandon curling bonspiel were: Grand challenge, Forthune-of Brandon; Wnikerville, T. Anderson, of Wienipeg Association; Bryan Trophy, A. Black, of Winnipeg Thistles, Col. W. H. Bourke left yesterday afternoon for Dawson City. He will go in via Skagway trail.

Ottawa, Jan. 28.—Vancouver, New Westminster, Nelson and Kamloops, are now included in the list of ports at which petroleum for illuminating purposes may be imported in tank cars.

mentioned quintine. Thus drug in small doses strengthens the heart's action and reduces the fever, besides acting as an internal antiseptic. As quintine in small doses alone wal not relieve the pains or headache, nor entirely reduce the fever, I have been in the habit of combining with it phenaigin, five or ten grains in powders at one dose, to be taken every three hours. This formula has proved very successful in aborting what might have been a severe attack of lia grippe, and rapidly curing milder cases. In common with many of the profession, it had been my habit prior to my acquaintance with the stimctant non-depressant charactery of phenaigin to prescribe alesholic stimulants when giving the other coal-tar products, to overcome their depression and rediction. The centrary is true of the coal-tar products, to overcome their depression of this drug is soothing, and its anodyne effect is usually followed by refreshing seed.

"Convalescence from la grippe' is hastened by careful attention to nutriment and aided by judicious tonics of chalybeate variety. An efficacious method of local treatment for la grippe' and the same time often a most valuable preventive is to spray the nose and throat several time daily with many of the antispetic solutions in the market, of which the same time often a most valuable preventive is to spray the nose and throat several time daily with many of the antispetic solutions in the market, of which the same time often a most valuable preventive is to spray the nose and throat several time daily with many of the antispetic solutions in the market, of which the same time often a most valuable preventive is to spray the nose and throat several time daily with many of the antispetic solutions in the market, of which the same time often a most valuable proventive is to spray the nose and throat several time daily with many of the antispetic solutions in the market, of which the same time of the principal ingredicuts are boric acid, the principal ingredicuts are been as a decided to assume way been and an analysis of phenalgin, five or ten grains in powders been at the control of the same time of

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spark passes. The spark discharge is complex, being made up of several partial discharges, of which the first is strongest. The preliminary brush discharges usually appear as appendages of the spark, and as they are seen in lightning photographs, it is probable that lightning is preceded by pilot brush discharges.

Cider has been found by M. Bodin, a French experimenter, to be very fatal to the typhoid-tever bacillus. He attributes the effect to the two per cent, or more of malic acid, but M. Berthelot points out that the bacillus develops in the intestinal liquids, quite as strongly acid, and suggests that the antiseptic property is due to aldehyde contained.

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There's strong testimony by eminent physicians of wonderful cures made by Dr. Chase's Family Remedies—particularly Dr. Chase's Ointment.

NORTH POLE EXPEDITION.

London, Jan. 28.—Before the Duke of Abruzzi left Rome Queen Marguerita, his aunt, preseated him with an Italian, flag embroidered by her own hands with the words, "Always Forward, Savoy," a motto identified with the family. In receiving the gift the Pringe said: "This flag shall wave over the North Pole or I shall not return." The Queen had difficulty in suppressing her emotion and pressed his hand, exclaiming: "You will return, Luigi; you will return."

The Winter Cough Of the Old.

Many old people are troubled with a distressing Cough which seizes on them as soon as the cold weather sets in, and renders them almost invalids for the entire winter.

Those subject to recurring colds of this kind, will find relief and cure by using Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in an Indenture of Mortgage, dated the 16th day of August, 1893, made between Joseph Bayley of the one part and Jean Ceignarippe of the other part, and registered in the Land Registry office at Victoria in Charge Book, vol. 12, folio, 287, No. 18294B, tenders will be received by the unlersigned for the purchase of the following piece or parcel of land situate an Esquimait road, and being portion of victoria in Charge Book vol. 12, and the property is known as a constitution of the part of the property is known as "The Indoor property is known as "The Indoor property is known as "The Tabove property is known

YATES & JAY, 22 Bastion street, Victoria, B.C. Solicitors for the said Jean Colgdarippe Victoria, B.C., Jan, 18, 1806.

Notice is hereby given that the Annua leeting of the Shareholders will be held Wednesday, 8th Feb., 1899, at 8 p. m.

F. F. HEDGES, Sec. Treas. Victoria, B. C., Jan. 23, 1899. Vancouver Island Building Society.

The Fifteenth Annual meeting of the Society will be held in Sir William Wallace Hall, Broad street, on Monday, January Sub, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of receive and Secretary and the bulance sheet and statements of the Secretary and Treasurer for the year ending 31st December, 1888; for the election of officers and Board of Management for the ensuing year; for Management for the ensuing year; for holding the 109th drawing for an appropriation, and the transaction of such business as may be brought before the meeting. By order, Victor's, B.C., January 23rd, 1890.

Victoria Building Society.

ANNUAL MEETING
Will be held in the Agricultural Depart.
ment, Victoria. The handsomest Lady's tools 10.08 2.00 ever sold for 2.00 STODDART'S Jewelry Store 68-68% Yates St Cash, purchaser of Nugget Gold to any amount.

Despining at 2 p.m. Tuesday, Papers on Small Fruits, Local Markets, Packing and Marketing, Cantivarors, Pesta, etc. Hair rates have been secured on the E. 4 N. Hairond.

T. R. PEARSON, Sec.

with Their Reception in Victoria.

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Several members of the deputation from the foot of Otter or the Ferry House to, Taku City is nine miles from Atlin. Don't try to cross Atlin lake after nightfall."

Mr. F. A. Billett will establish a branch of the Cauadian Bank of Commerce of Toronto at Atlin. He has arranged to be ready for business March Ist in temporary quarters in the operations. The Merchant's Bank of Hallfax has house building on Discovery ayeane.

The Merchant's Bank of Hallfax has had a deputation at Atlin, headed by Mr. Spencer. They looked over the ground, bought a lot and let a contract fog, a building and will return in thirty days to stablish a banking business.

Mr. Spencer reports that they had all.

With Their Reception in Victoria.

Several members of, the deputation from the Mainland who interviewed the deprovaled from the Mainland who interviewed the provincial government upon several matters of great interest to Vancouver and the surrounding country have returned to Vancouver.

"We were very well received, indeed."

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It is safe to say that Stuart's dyspersia Tablets will cure any stomach weak near or disease except cancer of the stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, inactive their most serious consideration palpitation, heartburn, constipation and palpitation, heartburn, constipation and palpitation, heartburn, constipation and the surrounding country have to great interest to Vancouver and the surrounding country have returned to Vancouver.

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for, a building and will return in thirty days to establish a banking business. Mr. Spencer reports that they had already arranged with the Skugway Railready arranged with the Skugway Railread Company to bring in their safe. At the last meeting of the Atlin Pioneer Club_it was decided to take steps to have theorge Bullen rycognized and rewarded for his act of bravery and sacrifice that might have meant death during the rescue of Oscar Sinclair on New Year's day. It will be remembered that Mr. Bullen and Mr. Torey were the first to put out to the rescue. After they had one-of the Sinclair brothers in the canoe it was capsized, and the whole party were thrown into the ley water. There Mr. Bullen held up Julius Sinclair was chilled genseless and went knew it was a terrible struggle, and it lusted a long fine, too, till Julius Sinclair was chilled genseless and went down-forever. When another boat at last arrived, Mr. Buflen calmly told the rescuers to take Oscar Sinclair out first, as he had been in the water the longest. Steps will be taken to bring the matter before the Royal Humane Society of London and let the world know that the forcen north has its heroes as well as the lands more favored by nature and man.

Work is progressing very favorably on

the frozen norm as the lands more favored by many and man. Work is progressing very favorably on the railway, and according to reports 1.400 men are at work. A big squad are engaged in grading the cut off to the wharf. Two new engines of the most approved modern pattern are now on the way up to Skagway on the barge

An Indian Melee.

News comes from Juneau of the shoatsing of a proving Indian by a United States deputy marshal. On Juneary 23rd there was considerable excitement in the Alaskan capital. There was quite a battle on the beach, and for several hours about half the population of the town stood on the buff overlooking the Ank vilage, watching the fray.

A Juneau correspondent describes the affray as follows. About daybreak Jack Williams, an Indian policement, former a

po serious difficulties. Only about 15 or 20 miles of connecting road remains to be built. The Sare view will have to be bridged, but that already in place might be utilized. The Pitt view is a big undertaking. To bridge it would cost a lot of money. In fact it was suggested that a small ferry boat be used instead. The span is about 3,000 feet. The Coquitlam is already bridged.

The representations made in regard to the proposed widening of the road to Lefu Island were received with the utmost of favor. When the South Vancouver municipality was incorporated in 1894 some \$12,000 was taken by the government, which the municipality contents should have been expended within its bounds. It is proposed to widen the road from the city limits of Vancouver to the bridge across Sea Island by six feet. The road would also be macadamized. The whole cost is estimated at about \$14,000. Having in view the fact that \$12,000 was used by the government in the past, which should have been expended will see its way clear to accede to the wishes expressed.

"It brought up a matter which I had mentioned before when in Victoria. This was fae local personal property tax as it applies to the telephone company and the British Columbia Electric Railway Company. We contend that the tax is properly collectable and, payable to the city. There is good reason to believe that the city will receive this benefit. It means many hundreds of dollars to Vancouver, as these companies use our strate.

Must not be confounded with common cathactic or purgative pills. Carter's Little Liver Pills are entirely milke them in every respect. One trial will prove their superiority.

We have several qualities, and believe them to be the best value we have seen.



sell full-sized packages at 50 cents. Prof. Henry W. Becker, A.M., the well known religious worker and writer of St. Louis, Secretary of the Mission Board of the German Methodist Church. Chief Clerk and Expert Accountant for the Harbor and Wharf Commission. Public Secretary for the St. Louis School Patrons: Association, and the District Conference of Stewards of the M. E. Church; also takes an active part in the work of the Epworth League, and to write on religious and educational topics for several magazines. How he found relief is best told in his own words:

"Some weeks ago my brother heard me say something about indigestion, and taking a box from his pocket said, "Iry Stuart's Tablets." I did, and was promptly relieved. Then I investigated the nature of the tablets and became satisfied that they were made of just the right things and in just the right proportions to aid in the assimilation of food. I heartily endorse them in all respects, and I keep them constantly on hand."

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There are no better medicines on the market than Chamberlain's. We have used the Cough Remedy when all others failed, and in every instance it proved effectual. Almost daily we hear the virutes of Chamberlain's remedies every interest of the cough remedies and the second of the cough remedies and the second of the cough remedies and, like the writer, be benefited. From the Glenville (W. Va.) Pathinder, For alle by Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

A man's wife should always be the same,

A man's wife should always be the same, especially to her husband, but if she is weak and nervous, and uses Carter's from Fills, she cannot be, for they make her "feel like a different person" so they all say, and their mostards my according to the control of t

SHIPBUILDING IN 1898

L'oyds' Register of the Vessels Built in the

Tae British Shipbuilders Surpass All Previous

A Large Warship Tonnage Built in the United States - France Subsidizes building of

During 1898, exclusive of war ships, 701 vessels of 1,307,570 tons gross (viz., 744 vessels of 1,307,570 tons gross (viz., 744 vessels of 4,222 tons) have been launched in the Usied-Kingdom. He was a superstanding the provide yards and the property of 101,555 tons distributed with the control of 101,555 tons. The total output of the launched at the provide yards and the provide yards and the provide yards and the provide yards and the provide yards for the provide yards for the provide yards for the provide yards of the provide yards of the year has therefore, been 892 vessels of 1.559,125 tons. The provide yards of the year has therefore, been 892 vessels of 1.559,125 tons. The year of the year in the ship building industry will doubtless be of interest. In these notes, war ships are excluded from consideration except where they are specially mentioned:

The output of the year in the United Kingdom has surpassed all earlier records. In some previous returns of this Find, the Egures for 1859 have been taken-for comparing the sale provided by 158,000 tons has now been exceeded by 158,000 tons has now been exceeded by 158,000 tons well in the year of the year's work and the great resources of British shipbul'ders.

L'omparing the present returns with these for the year's work and the great reforms with these for the past two years, it will be seen that

A Comment of the Comm conjust. The past year has thus established a 'new record, no. Suly as regards the total production, but also as regards the commercial effectiveness of the formage constructed.

As regards the material employed for shipbuilding purposes in 3898, it is found that 39 per cent of the tonnage has been built of steel and one per cent, of from the tron tonnage is practically made up of trawlers, and comprises by vessel of an activation of the tonnage is practically made up of trawlers, and comprises by vessel of an incomprise of the trons and 3807 sailing tons, or 1,001,642 tons in all mearly 78 per cent, belong to ports in the United Kingdom. In this connection it may be noted that ther losses &c., of United Kingdom vessels during twelve-months are shown by 12,093 Register Wreck Returns to average 276,000 tons 193,000 tons 193,00

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tops.

Compared with this net increase for the world, the net increase of 327,000 tons, as started above, for the Lighted Kingdom is equivalent to 28 per cent. In the net increase of the world's steam tonnage, viz., 1,550,000 tons, the United Kingdom bas shared to the extent of 585,000 tons, or 37 per cent. Of the new tonnage liunched dur in 1898, the United Kingdom has acquired 56 per cent.

******** Military Matters.

quiet this week, the political excitement baving cellpsed military interest temporar-ily. The sympathy and support of the nembers of the First Battalion is natural-ly with their commanding officer, Col. Gregory, in the fight, and it is safe to say that there will be rew militamen's bal-tots on Thursday neat which will not con-tain a cross opposite that gallant officer's name.

must. necessarily lead to the encouragement of the worst forms of insubordination in the army. O C C

The Pester Lloyd has received from what it describes as a trustworthy source some particulars respecting the new French quick-firing gun. The introduction of this arm has been so rapid of late that in all probability the 480 batterles of the field artillery will be equipped with it during the coming spring. In round numbers this will require 3,000 quick-firing guns. 45,000 animultion carrs, and 6,000 ofter vehicles. At the beginning of the present year serious unenshess was felt among French artiller on the distribution of the first o

greatly reduced by means of an Ingenious contrivance.

In the United States our cousins are be walling the fact that in America there is to V.C. (or anything equivalent thereto) that can be bestowed on specially deserving soldiers and sailors. In particular is this want experienced with reference to the question of suitably acknowledging the sconduct of Lieut. Hobson and his hitrepid crew. Beyond an expression of the thanks of congress no further reward can at present unable to accede to their demands. The fact is, the only decoration known in America is "The United States Metal of Honor," but as non-commissioned soldiers and sailors alone are eligible for it, it must necessarily be withheld from Lieut. Hobson, Moreover, this decoration has, in the past, been so lavishly distributed that its value, qua distinction, is now very much depreciated—the 27th Mainer itegrines, for instance, receiving it en masse. Established by act of congress in Justice, and of various and for extraordinary evidence of the sundress and sailors alone are eligible for it. It must necessarily be withheld from Lieut. Hobson, Moreover, this decoration has, in the past, been so lavishly distributed that its value, qua distinction, is now very much depreciated—the 27th Mainer itegrines, for instance, receiving it en masse. Established by act of congress in Justice, and for extraordinary evidence of the interest of the English tongue no solution, and for extraordinary evidence of the interest of the English tongue no solutions and the English tong

R.C.A., sent to England in exchange for a battery of Royal Artillery to be stationed at Kingston. The secretary of state for the colonies has moved in the matter, but there are insuperable difficulties in the way, which will prevent any militin corps being exchanged for any corps outside of Canada.

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O O "Although Clause 79 of the Militia Act enables Her Majesty to call out the militia for service, either within or without Canada, it can only be done for service outside of. Canada under certain circumstances are war, in our company of the control of the

young soldier who, as a hobby, dailies in the primrose paths of poesy. Corporal Haroid Hanham is twenty-four years of The has achieved what might rank as a record in rapid promotion in those days of peace, when the opportunity to distinguish timest! is seldom afforded an ambitious sol-

dimed is seldom afforded an ambitious solder.

Corperal Hanham enlisted on March 27.
1897. In twelve months exactly, exemplary conduct and a more than average share of intelligence had gained for him the rank of lance-corporal, by November 1 of the Amme Year he was full ecoporal, having rises from private in one year and seven months.

On the invitation of the Daily Mall, Corporal Hanham has contributed the following to its pages:

To Rudyard Kipling.

Yes! Call me "Tommy Atkins" if you will.

To Rudyard Kipling.

Yes! Call me "Tommy Atkins" if you will.

It doesn't matter much about my name.

The British soldier still

Has a niche in Fame to fill.

And can scan his past without a blush of shame.

And Tommy isn't roused to be a fool.

If his early education wash't grand;

In a stern and houset school.

And that a just the finest school in the land.

well.

We can hear without a pang.

A robust Hiberian to ang.

Nearly blended with the tongue of "Whiteshapelle."

But Ignorance at such times may be, bilss;

The wise man sometimes shuts both ear and eye,

And if "Tomny" is in this.

Just a little lit remiss.

Yet when duty calls he knows be right reply.

Rudyard, pray don't think we all The bigher mind that helps to make the

Though your methods many times appear

to mar Your meaning still we know what you intend; i And "Tommies" near and far Proudly call you what you are, "The soldier's laurente and the soldier's friend." -(Corporal) Harold Hanham CHEVRON.

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GOVERNMENT GANDIDATES.

who many the social cyll. But we must quote from that article to show our readers the hideous nature of the attack upon the private character of the Attorney-General, and ask them to remember that already at Ottawa and throughout Eastern Canada the indignation of Liberals and Conservatives alike, all, indeed, who know Mr. Martin, has been inflamed by the ruffianly abuse to which he has been subjected by specific which has been subjected by sundry journalistic and polemical blackguards in British Columbia. Let Victorians, remembering that fact read the follow-

"Some very good people in this city are warm in their support of Mr. Martin because he is in their opinion the sworn enemy of gambling, the saloon and the social wil. They don't know Mr. Martin. Before they vote as they pray, they would do well to make a few inquiries in regard to Mr. Martin's real attitude towards these things. Then they will see how likely he is to employ any power, which he may secure, for the advancement of the cause of public morality.

morality.

"If ever a politicinn stole the livery of Heaven to serve the devu in," it is Joseph Martin, when he poses as the enemy of gambling, the saloon and the social evil. This reference to him is of course purely political, not personal. Let those people who believe him to be the champion of purity and virtue find out the facts. That is all any one can ask."

The inference the writer of those infamous passages wished to be drawn from his statements is that Hon. Mr. afartin is a devil, a monster of iniquity, a constant violator of the moral law, a arm unit to associate with respectable people. This is worse than shorting a man from behind a hedge, or sand-bagging him in the dark. The person out of whose low mind these abominable insinuations and vile suggestions sirang had a twinge of fear towards the close had a twinge of fear towards the clos and put in that coward's whine about "political, not personal." He might as well have done the same in attempting to murder Mr. Martin. In that wretch-ed article, out of the depths of his feenlent mind he tried to murder Mr. Martin's character. And because a more cowardly, than he who lets out a man's life. The writer of the lines we have quoted from the Colonist, whoever he is, is a disgrace to British journalism.

No man who ever entered political life in this province has had poured out against him by opponents so much unmitigated blackgundism, so much gross falsehood and misrepresentation, or so much of the noisome vocabulary of the n mitigated blackguffdism, so much gross falsehood and misrepresentation, or so much of the noisome vocabulary of hatred, rage and spiteful envy as have been launched at Hon, Joseph Martin. He has been the shining mark at which every newspaper and every politician opposed to him has levelled epithets and charges that make one blush for the reputation of our press and public men. Strangers who jedge us as they find us will generalize—they cannot help if— Strangers who jedge us as they find us will gegeralize—they cannot help itaken two have ever read. The case of think the taxpayers have a grievance as siven for Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the order are that "Mr. Thomson, manager of turner, Beeton & Co. executing the freighting has a five think the taxpayers have a grievance as well as Mr. Turner, when part or think the taxpayers have a grievance as well as Mr. Turner, when part or spent in champagne instead of for public part parts and the dignity to be expected in a harry and extras attached thereto. We think the taxpayers have a grievance as well as Mr. Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the freighting has mell and the taxpayers have a grievance as well as Mr. Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the freighting has mell be part and the taxpayers have a grievance as well as Mr. Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the freighting has mell and the teity of the freighting has well as Mr. Turner, Beeton & Co. executing the freighting has mell and the teity of the freighting has been and the dignity to be expected from men in their position, as a tribe of Digger Indians. Such is the impression of the tenth of the had admitted that the Part and the Part and the Humber

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Mr. Martin and his colleagues will rescue British Columbia from bankruptcy and degradation in spite of the Turner party's attempts to bring those things about, and in spite of their scurrilous abuse of Mr. Martin.

HOW THE MONEY GOES.

A glance through the public accounts or the year ending 30th June, 1898, man, ask themselves what ought to be done with a writer and a paper that ean which have just been published, would think and publish such low-minded, convince the strongest supporters of the fifthy traducement. The thoughts are late Turner government that it was those of a pander and are clothed in the style of a "yellow" reporter:

"Some very good people in this city reckless extravagance is to be found on are warm in their support of Mr. Martin because he is in their opinion the sworn enemy of gambling, the saloon and the social will. They don't know after the virge as they which no useful nursoes could be for which no useful purpose could be found instead of a deficit of nearly two trousand dollars a day.

As an example we call attention to some of the items of the contingent fund relating to legislation: In 1896 the amount expended for con-

tingencies was \$2,461 In 1898 it was more than double, name

The Colonist heads the list of pay ments with \$1,059.50 for invitation cards for the opening of the parliament buildings. We think hundreds of better purposes for the expenditure of over \$1,000 could be found all over British Columbia than for admission cards for a half-

With no desire to advocate che paring economies we must in the interest of the taxpayers object to the excess sive waste of money upon the legislature lunch room. It is not so very many years ago that a few hundred dollars sufficed for this purpose. For 1808 it cost over \$3,500. This is more than a dollar a lunch, supposing every member attended daily, which of course is not the case. The original legislative luncheon room was a moderate and sensible affair. It originated from the fact that sometimes about half the members were engaged on committees during the morning, which left them but little time to come to town for lunch and return to the house in time for prayers at 2:30. To meet the physical and spiritual de-To meet the physical and spiritual desires of members, tea, coffee and a few accompaniments were supplied by the government. Like everything else under the Turner ministry it has developed into extravagance and an abuse, the magnitude of which is apparent in the items of expenditure. Besides \$750 for groceries and provisions, we notice over \$1,000 for meats, poultry, fish and fruit. A steward is employed at \$80 a month a We regret to use so strong a term, but cany term that does not call the thing meant by its plain name is apt to be misunderstood, and in saying to the people of Victoria that the article in the Colonist is absolutely without truth, is a deliberate falsehood from beginning to end, and that its attempt to provoke the inference we have mentioned is nothing short of hellish, we are quite withing short of hellish, we are quite withing in the lines of justice to the writer of the finance and subsect the citizens poking the roses into the public accounts. He seems to consider it a reflection upon himself when finance minister and premier, and we do not wonder at it.

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Mr. Turner in his Saturday night's speech, as reported in the Colonist, makes an attempt to explain away the makes an attempt to explain away the fact that his firm at the time he was premier sold thousands of dollars' worth of sewer pipe to the province. It is certainly the amegit and most prevarienting statement we have ever read. The reasons given for Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "Mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "Mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "Mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are that "mr. Thomeson, manager of Turner, Beeton & Co. excepting the order are the consideration of the constitutional objection to being turned out of office and losing the large salary and extras attached thereto. We think the taxpayers have a grievance as spent in champague instead of for public purposes.

We consider this champague incident as bad as that of Colonel Baker's, who is

their press and supporters have themselves to blame for it. The lickerish gusto with which the Colonist has opened wide its columns, editorial and local, to defamation of Mr. Martin's character is without parallel, thank God, in the annals of British Columbia journalism.

In those prostituted columns he has been likened to a "skunk." a "weasel." a "thug." a "cutcast," a "pirate," a "desperado," a "bully," a "thug." a "thief." "Mephistopheles" (the devil), almost a murderer-and why? New we come to the point. Why do the opposition rage and the Colonist imagine a vain thing? Because they fear and envy him. and envy him.

They fear him because his keen mind has grasped in fullest details all the shams, the petty fraud, the mean dodg his first statement and said \$650 worth Lt.-Gol. Gregory,
T.-W. Paterson,
Alex. Stewart.

HON, JOSEPH MARTIN.

HON, JOSEPH MARTIN.

We should like to call the attention of the electors of Victoria at this time to an article which appeared in the Colonist vesterday morning, entitled: "Mephistopheles in Power." The writer pretends to deal with the bill jo render vacant on June 30th next all appeintments to positions on licensing and police boards, but the article is in reality only another of those brutal and shameless attacks upon the personal character of Hon, Joseph Martin, which have for some months back disgusted Victoria as. The article in question is an articular of the opponents of Mr. Turner and Mr. Turner ontradicted his first statement and said \$650 worth of pipe was from the Doulton Company. This is an English company, and we believe Turner, Becton & Co., self the determination to the furning on of a flood of light upon the doings of the Turner government during the period is well-being to deal with the bill jo render vacant on June 30th next all appointments to positions on licensing and police boards, but the article is in reality on that subject—the session is not over, or Hon, Joseph Martin, which have for some months back disgusted Victorians. The article in question is an articular that the proponents of Mr. Turner government of Mr. Turner, At the Saturday and the decit which the Turner government of the present options. They know that he has the determination of the furning on of a flood of light upon the doings of the Turner government of the show that the Montal Proposition candidates to show that the Montal Proposition candidates to show that Hon, Mr. Martin is like of namely, brains. He has grice and the Action of Mr. Turner of Mr. Turner of Mr. Turner of Mr. Turner and said sof the present of the present option to the branch the found of the branch the state things left the furning on of a flood of light upon the doings of the Turner government of the present opposition candidates to show that the Montal Proposition of the prese

The Turner government.

Did they insult Mr. McKenna, the Do here about it? Rather. They did everything but call

him a liar and a horse-thief.

Is that considered good government policy here?

Oo on.
Who was finance minister of British
Columbia when the Dominion government put \$10,500 on their estimates to
ment put \$10,500 on their estimates to mend a river bank at Revelstoke and he didn't know it till somebody told him,

Mr. J. H. Turner. Of course he felt so badly broken up wer it he quit politics forever?

Nary a quit. What! Is he still in it?

He's a candidate for Victoria city this.

Who spent thousands of this province's good money on a trip to London that wasn't needed? David Macewan Eberts, ex-attorney

Do the taxpayers love David?

Do they love -? Who paid for the champagne Premier Turner set up for the members as a farewell drink and Turner, Beeton & Co. got \$29 for?

The taxpayers.

Was that a violation of the Independnce of Parliament Act?

It was worse than that. What do you mean?

It was a mean, stingy dodge: Would Sir John Gorst have swallowed that turtle soup and those Olympia oys-ters Col. Baker invited him to in the

Driard, had he known the people would have to pay for them? Bet not. Why Cidn't the Colonel pay for his own luncheon, anyway?
On the make, I guess; like his colleagues in the cabinet.
They looked upon the province, then,

s a - a -?
Cabinet pudding.
What do you think of Colonel Baker, anyway?

He is the greatest authority on wait-

rs' uniforms this world ever saw. He believes in feeding the members

Yea; every member would have nickel-plated soup-pipe connecting his desk with the kitchen coppers if the Colonel could have his way. Great on soup, the Colonel, ch? He and his party are right in it.

WORSE THAN A KENTUCKY TREAT.

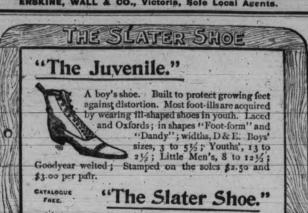
Premier's hospitality we learned that at the close of the session that generous which our mourning contemporary makes gentleman invited a number of the members into a pritate room to polish off a number of bottles of champagne, which they did, supposing the Premier was standing treat. Much to their surprise and digust they discovered afterwards that Ms. Turner had put in a bill for tangular, quadrangular or "strictly on \$29 for it and paid himself for it out of the public funds.

The Tenderest

Leaves-

Ram Lais of the most carefully cultivated tea plants—are the only ones used to make Ram Lal's Pure Indian Tea. That explains the delicate flavor and aroma so peculiar to it. Air-tight lead packets retain all the original strength and fragrance.

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AN AYLMER CASE.

Mrs. C. H. Burdick of that Place Re stored to Health After Ailing for Three Years.

Her Friends all want to know how It came about, so she tells the story of her cure.

besides the \$29 in the 1806 public accounts, in which Mr. Turner stands out in unenviable prominence. It is for \$1,872.36, which is quite a respectable sum. This is how it appears in vote 112,

Hon. J. H. Turner, travelling allowance (mission to London), 139 days at \$10; fares to London and return, \$394; cab hire, porterage, telegrams, etc., \$88.36; total, \$1.872.36.

In re the government grounds, about

what is a restems snape? Is it rec-tangular, quadrangular or "strictly on the square"? Is it rhomboidal, conchoi-dal, isosceles or equiangular? Is it flat, round, conical, wavy, straight or—well, what is it anyway?

"To-morrow is the last day but four of the great Westside Bargain Sale.

llow to Mark Your Ballot

GREGORY, F. B. HALL, R.

PATERSON, T. W. X STEWART, ALEX. X

TURNER, J. H.

McPHILLIPS, A. E.

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A. James, of 'Frisco, is at the Vic toria.

C. Selwood, of Ontario, is a guest at the Drurd.
G. H. Godfrey, of Seattle, is at the Do-W. H. Handley, of Skagway, is at the Wilson. Ashwell, of Dawson, is at th

oh Wark, of Surrey Centre, is at the

The little life savers have been doing good work in Aylmer, Ont. lately. They've been curing many people of that town who have tried all sorts of remedies for years without obtaining any relief.

One of these is Mrs. C. H. Burdick. She was troubled for several years with heart weakness, smothering feeling, sleeplessness and nervousness, Now she's enjoying the best of health. When asked what brought about the change she told the following story:

"For three years I had been ailing with fluttering of the heart, shortness of breath and smothering at night.

I was often very diazy, and my eyesight became obscure.

At times I found it difficult to remember passing events, and I was troubled greatly with sleeplessness and a general condition of nervous prostration, being easily startled, weak and listless.

Last September I commenced taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, which I got at Richard's Drug Store. They did me so much good that I bought a second box. The effect of the two boxes has been remarkable.

All my heart troubles are removed, the shortness of breath and nervous nees have disappeared and healthful restful sleep has been restored by their wonderful tonic action and my appetite has also returned. In fact, they have made me as well and strong as I ever was in my life.

All druggists sell Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. Price 50c a box or 3 boxes for \$1.25. T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, Ont.

Bominion J. Mellon, of Nelson, registered last night at the Driard.

It the Driard.

A. Will ans, ex.M.P.P. for Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion.

S. C. Stinson, of Winnipeg, is a guest at the Driard.

G. Barber, of Vancouver, is staying at the New England.

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S. D. Nesblitt, of Vancouver, is staying at the Dominion.

A. Hilly and P. T. Prowse, of Hayee's Landing, is a guest at the Dominion.

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John Lee, of Nannimo, registered last
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W. E. Drake, of Vancouver, registered
last night at the Drard.

W. E. Drake, of Vancouver, registered
last night at the Universal Westminster, is
guest at the Oriental.

Otto H. Partridge, of Lake Bennett, is
a guest at the Victoria.

W. A. De Caw, of Vancouver, registered
last night at the Victoria.

D. A. Stephenson, of Portland, Oregon,
is a guest at the Victoria.

Mrs. and Miss French, of Sydney, Australia, are at the Dominion.

Captain J. Barnesere, of Port Townsend,
the Captain J. Barnesere, of Port Townsend,
D. E. Jones was a passenger from Vancouver on yesterday's Charmer.

Fred. A. Goldsathf, from Skagway, registered last evening at the Wilson.
Dr. Carnody was a passenger on the
Charmer from Vancouver yesterday,
Capt. Carroll, of Seattle, formerly master
of the steamer Queen, is in the city.

Lieut. Col. Haggard, a brother of Charmer
Max Leiser was among the homewardbound Victorians on yesterday's Charmer.
Hon, Justice Irving was a passenger from
Vancouver on the Charmer- Saturday evendig.

on. Joseph Martin returned on Satur-n'gat from a visit to the Terminal asy n'ght from a City.

J. Gerhard Tiarks returned last evening from a professional visit to the provincial control of the

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Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Meteorological Department.

Victoria Jain 30. 5 a.m. The barometer remains abnormally high off Vancouver Island, while to the eastward of the Rockies a vast high area covers the Territories, accompanied by clear, cold weather; the faintnium remperatures ranging from 2 befow at Winnipeg to 38 below zero at Caligary. It is expected this area will spread westward and cause a continuance of fair weather in this province. The weather reliants fair and the whids moderate for fresh along the entire coast from Californa westward. We weather, fair.

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Mush.—Barometer, 30.18; tempera-44, minimum, 41; wind, W. 12 miles; 18; weather, clouds; 18; weather, clouds; 19; weather, 19; weather, 19; wind, 8, 12; weather, clouds; 19; wind, 8, w. 8 miles; weather, clouds; 19; weather, 19; weather 46, minimum, 46; Wind, S.W., 8 miles; rails, trace; weather, cloudy, San Francisco-Barometer, 20,68; temper-ature, 52, minimum, 52; wind, W., 4 miles; weather, clear.

Forecasts. For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Tuesday. Victoria and Vicinity.—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; generally fair weather. Lower Mainland.—Moderate to fresh winds; partiy fair weather.

City News in Brief.

-Drink Blue Ribbon Tea.

The "Rose Maiden," Feb. 1st.

—Many articles suitable for miners cheap for cash at R. A. Brown & Co.'s 60 Douglas street.

Millinery and Jackets greatly below cost for the next three days at the Ster-ing, 88 Yates street.

Deep sympathy is being expressed with Mr. C. H. Gibbons, city editor of the Colonist, and Mrs. Gibbons, in the bereavement they have to-day sustained by the death of their daughter Edith. The little girl was a great favority with all who knew her, and her loss is a great grief to her parents. For some days Edie had been suffering much pain and this morning succumbed to the illness in spite of everything being done to avert the sad end.

One of the big hits in last season's repertoire of Black Patt's Troubadours was the merry musical skit "At Jolly Coney Island." which is also retained for this season. This very popular and humorous musical farce has been rewritten by Ernest Hugan, who has introduced all new coon songs and situations strictly in keeping with the spirit suggested by its title. It is one of the brightest genus of real coon comedy probably ever offered on the American stage, and a capital vehicle for the display of the remarkable talents of this equally remarkable versatile company.

The Gran Opera Company repeated ir immense success in Vancouver. their immense success in Vancouver, playing to a packed house every evening last week, and playing there again to night. To-morrow they return to Viedoria for two nights, producing the pretty opera "Olivette" to-morrow even-Ing. Introducing the famous "Lone Lou" and "Iventucky Babe." On Wdnesday evening a very big bill is promised. There will first of all be the fourth act of "Martha," followed by the sexefte from "Lucia, and then the whole of the opera "Fra Diavolo," There will be a crowded house each evening, for the advance sale of seats, which commenced athis morning, is a very large one.

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—Pessimists have been heard to say that no annateur opera company will be success secured by the "Geisha," and indeed it would seem that the task would be a difficult one, but there is every indication now that it is going to be done and that by a company under the same direction as the one which charmed Victorians so much with that presentation of Japanese life. The "Pearl of Pekin," one of the most pleasing operas ever produced, teeming with everything pertaining to Chinese life and customs, accompanied by Chinese music, and abounding in Chinese scenery, will be a treat such as Victorians have rarely enjoyed. The "Pearl" will be played by Miss Mande Gogdwin, and affords that capable young lady quite as much scope for her ability as did the part of "O Mimosa San." Miss Georgie Cooper has a part admirably adapted to her vivacious acting, and Fred Cooper will blossom out as a negro. There is a dancing class composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed of Miss E Doyer, Mrs. F. B., Williams, Miss Pauline, Miss Lates, and they have a composed by C. S. Renout, agent.

There were only a few spectators at the city market to dray at non when, as the big clock in the hall was striking twelled to next Thursday for the say follows.

Francis Brooke Gregory, barristera

-Lawn mowers and garden tools in variety at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, So Douglas street.

"Jolanthe" was rebearsed very su cessfully in the Sir William Wallac Hall on Saturday evening.

A full rehearsal of "Robin Hood" will take place at the usual hour to-morrow evening in Waitt's Hall.

-A petition is being circulated in the city for signature asking the council to reverse their decision and to reinstate E. A. Wilmot, the late city engineer. Don't forget that Wednesday, Feb-ruary 8th, is the date of Miss Trotter's grand recital. Sinkespeare, Kipling, Bulwer-Lytton furnish several of her numbers.

-Provincial Constable Murray escorted the Indian Dowse to the Nanaimo jall on Saturday afternoon last. Dowse is committed for trial at the next general sessions to be held at Nanaimo.

The funeral of Catherine R. Murton-took place from her residence, Russell street, yesterday. The Rev. J. P. Knox officiated at the grave. The funeral arrangements were carried out by W. J. Hanna.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held this week on Tuesdry evening instead of on. Wednesday, on account of political gatherings interfering with the regular nights of meeting.

A Winnipeg man who arrived in the city on Saturday night, and who celebrated the event by indulging in the flowing bowl, was the only occupant of the police court dock this morning. He was fined the usual amount, \$2.50.

Big Clearance Sale, Saturday, Monday and Tuesday at the Sterling, 88 Yat: a street.

A meeting of the members of the official boards of the Methodist churches in the city will be held to night at 8 of clock in the school room of the Metropolitan church for the purpose of founding a Methodist Council and the adoption of a constitution and by-laws.

At eight o'clock this evening a final rehearsal of "The Rose Maiden" will be held in the Institute Hall. Those having already purchased tickets are privileged to attend. Tickets may be obtained at Mr. Lombard's store and seats reserved on payment of 25 cents.

On Saturday at Fort McLeed, N.W.
T., Charles E. Woods, F. P. L. S., formerly a resident of New Westminster, died from mountain fever. Mr. Woods was a son of Ven. Archdeacon Woods, and brother of Mr. E. M. N. Woods, the New Westminster barrister. He was a native of London. Eng.

A gentleman's concert was held in the Temperance Hall on Saturday evening. There was a good attendance, and the programme was up to expectation. The contributors were Messrs. Barton, Firth, Cave. Goodwin, Munroe, Hicks, Huxtable, Richardson, Pilling, Longfield, sr., Longfield, jr., and Brown.

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The minstrel troupe from H. M. S. Sparrowhawk gave a splendid entertainment in the Blue Ribbon Hall on Saturday evening, when the hall was crowded. Rear Admiral H. St. B. Palliser favorgent in the hall was considered in the hall be supported by the second of the second second in the second music was rendered, and the proceedings closed with the comic opera, "The Blind Beggars."

Victorians, or at Teast all musical Victorians, will be sorry to learn that Mr. Sydney H. Morse, the Orient Tenor, is likely to leave the city shortly. Before his departure a farewell benefit performance will be given, of which due notice will appear. As this will probably he the last opportunity residents of the city will have of hearing Mr. Morse, it is likely that it will be availed of very largely.

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—Last week and this will be notable ones among agriculturists on account of the number of meetings of an agricultural character which have been or are about to be held. Last week the Dairymen's Association met at Ladner's. Tomorrow the Horticultural Society will hold their annual meeting here, while on Friday and Saturday the convention for forming a Central Farmers' Institute will assemble. On Thursday the Horticultural Board, consisting of five members, including the Minister and Deputy Minister of Agriculture, will hold their meeting.

meeting.

Those who attended Saturday night's band concert were regaled with a fine musical treat, Bandmaster Finn having some of the lafest music on hand. Amorgst the many gems were two characteristic pieces, one by Puerner, descriptive of an Irish wedding, and the other, Rollinson's "Maiden's Caprice," a very dainty morceau. The famous overture from Suppe's "Poet and Peasant" was discoursed, and Waldtenfel's Spanish waltz, "Espana," "The Lisle of Champagne" and Roncovieri's latest march, "The Chilcoot," completed the programme.

List of Candidates, Their Nominators

Along the Waterfront.

A matter which is being discussed among shipping men at present as the compulsory pilotage bill now before the United States Congress. It is practically the same bill as was defeated last year. It provides that pilots shall be regularly examined and licensed on the Sound; shall keep a pilot boat off the straits. It provides that the pilot shall leep collect \$4 per foot and five cents per register net tonnage draft for bringing a sessel from outside Cape Flattery to Port Townsend or other Sound port. For bringing a vessel from a British Columbia port to the Sound the pilot is to receive \$2 per foot draft and one cent per register net tonnage. A provision in the bill specifies that no one save a regularly licensed pilot shall bring a boat in, and although the master may be able to navigate the Sound waters, he cannot net as his own pilot unless he holds a license. When a vessel is hailed and refuses to take a pilot, one haif the regular charges are to be paid pilots.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 30.—Steamer Seattle has returned from Lynn canal, having troken all previous records. She made the trip to Skagway and return is six days seventeen hours and forty minntes. Joe Barrett wagered \$1,000 with Richard Butler, a rich mine operator of the Klondike, that the steamer could not make the Trip to Skagway in four days. She made the trip in 70 hours and 25 minutes.

R.M.S. Empress of Japan will sail for the Orient early to-morrow morning. She has been delayed for several hours, owing to the train being late. Among the passengers booked from here are Col. Haggard, a brother of Rider Haggard, the novelist, who is going to Yokohama. A. Jones goes to Hongkong and Lester Jones and H. Mamizu to the Japanese port:

Capt. E. E. Caine, of Seattle, is at Tacoma with his tug Wallowa making soundings around the sunken ship Andelana with a view of ascertaining the condition of the vessel so he might bid on raising her. He found twenty-eight fathoms of water on the ship, and thirty three fathoms on the bottom where the ship lies.

Several sealing schooners will leave in a few days for the coast on a sealing cruise. The Penelope, Capt. D. G. Macaulay, has cleared and the Ocean Belle and Umbrina are being made ready. Capt. Lavender is to command the Ocean Belle.

The wages of the sailors of the coast have been reduced from \$40 to \$30, and for deep sea voyages from \$25 to \$25. The Coast Sailors' Union and the San Francisco Ship Owners' Association have been discussing the matter for some time.

Steamer Walla Walla arrived from San Francisco on Saturday evening. She kad 92 passengers, 17 for Victoria, and 43 tons of freight for this port. Steamer Queen sailed for the Golden Gate last night.

Steamer Princess Louise left New Westminster at 1:15 p.m. She did not connect with the train, which will be about eight hours late. Tug Czar towed the bark Fantasi to the Sound this afternoon. She will load lumber at Port Blakely for Buenos Ayres.

Steamer Joan is here to be overhauled. The Thistle will take her place on the Vancouver-Nanaimo route.

Steamer Cottage City will sail for Alaskan ports to morrow and the Tees on Wednesday.

Steamer Amur will sail for Skagway and way ports at midnight to-morrow.

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The electors of the North Ward—at least exclusive of those at Spring Ridge and Victoria West—will have an opportunity to-night for the first sime of hearing the government candidates in their own district. Johns Bros.' hall, if the electors of that portion of the city are like residents in the other sections, ought to be packed to-night to hear the public questions which are just now of so much interest discussed.

In addition to the three government candidates, Meesra, Gregory, Paterson, and Stewart, the audience will have the opportunity of hearing Mr. L. P. Duff and the labor orator, Ralph Smith, M. P. P. As the campaign approaches a close, interest seems to deppen in the result, and this feature will doubtless be evident in to-night's meeting. Electors, irrespective of their political proclivities, are invited to be present.

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A. H. McKay, a Rossland man, who took considerable money out of the quartz ledges of that district, and who yearned to filt from stand to stand-mostly one right stands-along the frosty dramatic way, mas had an experience which will probably dampen his histrionic aspirations. Speaking of McKay's troubles the San Francisco Examiner says:
Early in December last the mining man blew in from British Columbia with a longing to become an angel. He met Henri Stuart and W. H. Wheeler at a dramatic agency, and they showed him how an angel is created. With capital supplied by McKay "The Twentieth Century Company" was formed. A puncture in the box office, however, the enter the completion of the terms composing the company were fixed the double the pay of professionals, and all hands drew two weeks' salary in advance before taking to the road. Being new at the angel business Mr. McKay thought this was the proper thing to do. Wheeler and Stuart weak along with the show as noanagers at \$40 per week, also in advance.

Five days before Mr. McKay's mammoth

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Five days before Mr. McKay's mammoth aggregation set out for Virginia City, the opening stand, Wheeler met Miss Lillian Blair (one time sweetheart of General Manuel R. Barrilias, of Guatemala), who was the control of the contro

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At a recent meeting of the city council a resolution was passed to submit a by-law to the people authorizing the use of the market building on Fisquard street for the purposes of a fire hall. Notice of the introduction of such motion has been made by Ald. Stewart, the chairman of the Fire Wardens, and to-night it will be submitted to the council. This step is rendered necessary by the fact that when the by-law was submitted to the people it was specified that the building was for market purposes. Such being the case the employment of it in any other way will have to be authorized by the people. The market building was erected in 1892 at a cost of about \$55,000, exclusive of the cost-of the siter which was almost as much, and it has never been a profitable investment. The stalls only rent for about \$16 a month, while all of these even are not taken.

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On Friday evening a reception social will be given by the congregation to the pastor, at which the pastors of the city will be invited to be present, and some of them will deliver addresses. The mayor will be invited to be present and to extend, a welcome on behalf of the city.

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\$200 on the city, the council have been obliged to make provision in the estimates for the payment of rent for the Yates street fire hall, which they will in all probability not be able to vacate for three mouths yet. Although the property was purchased by Mr. Richardson nearly a year ago, the litigation which followed prevented the council from making the transfer. The close of the suit and the decision in favor of the city enabled them to do this a short time ago, and the decis being in the purchaser's possession a rental of \$50 a month will have to be paid until the market building is put in shape to receive the apparatus.

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wook on minor actors. Presently the baby work crying.

"I'm blowed!" the mail agent ejaculated.

The express agent began to whistic out of sheer inability to express himself otherwise. "No. 41 played and sold religious to the sheer work without a world sold beir work without a world ped into the box again, and the baby was asleep. There were pillows and a folded quilt, and on them the flushed, grieved hittle face by no. qutart ed to the men. Waylaid teirs still clump can be reversed to the men waylaid teirs still clump can be reversed to the world, and on them the flushed, grieved hittle face by no. qutart ed to the men. Waylaid teirs still clump can be reversed by the property of the sheet work without a world of the men. Waylaid teirs still clump can be reversed by the sheet cover come to anybody else, the world of a crowing kid—sent by express! And C. O. D. at that!

"Where's that billed to, Jim' growled the mail agent. Jim lifted the tag and perced at it nearsightedly. The writing was queer and cramped and indistinct." "He-a'-spelled Jim." "Ye-helped out the differ." "In hiow red if they all open from!" "Henly? Henly? Why, it's clear to the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other end of the line, way beyond off beat. Bill. Murray runs express at the other way again. The little dollar t

sone of the pillows for the strange fittle beds. A bottle of milk-and a few cracksers were there, two.

"Here's a letter pinned to be milk cried and the strange of the str

and hever in his 40 years of life touched a baby.

"Oh, come on! Take it off and read it, man! You've sot to know all there is to know," the mail agent cried impatiently. But it was not Jim's fingers that unpinned the try letter and spread out its creases. It was not Jim who began to read it aloud. Nobody finished it aloud.

its creases. It was not Jim who began to read it aloud. Nobody finished it aloud. Till be blowed," puffed the mail agent huskily, crushing the paper into Jim's hand a moment later. And then Jim read it, too. "To whoever reids this, don't, for the sake of God's pity, think I'm abandoning my beby. There wasn't ever a mother loved her boy more than I love mine, but I bad to send him away, I feel as if Marthy'd be good to him for the sake of John. Marthy always thought a sight of John—she's his sister. She don't know he's dead and I'm in the poor house. "That don't niatter, for I'm go'ng back to John right away. I guess I'll see him before the baby gets to Marthy. I kept waiting till the last minute because. I couldn't give the baby up. I don't dare to wait any longer now. If I keep him here they'll bring him up in the poor house. Marthy'll be good to him, and he'll grow up like other forks. Marthy's got means. I'm going to carry him, down to the depot and get old Abet to habb, use. I've leen praying the pitying Lord to give me strength enough just for that. That's all that matters. I wish I knew Marthy was going to meet the baby. I'd like to tell John so. I'm afraid John and I'll worry about that. But old Abel sugs they'll take good care of bim on the cars. I asked him once.

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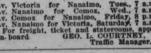
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Christina Claims.

It is the opinion-est-theses who have made a thorough examination of the formation on the west side of Christina lake best-there are gentine surprises in store for the formation on the west side of Christina lake best-there are gentine surprises in store pecting along the numerous creeks that drain the Christina slope from the Kettle river divide. It goes without saving that there are some highly mineralized belts on the west side, and when it lake is about eighteen miles long, with an almost undinxed area of virgin ground beyond its extreme boundary, the magnitude of the opportunities there for prospectors will will average realized.

The Ruth company is about to take in the state of the spectrumities there for prospective the opportunities there for prospective the opportunities there for prospective to commence development, work on the Fairy Ridge soon as the ice goes out of the lake. The Fairy Ridge is located on the west side of Christina lake, opposite Texas Point, and, about one-quarter of a mile from the lake shore. It is a quarty proposition, the lead in places being covered over with a heavy iron capping. The lead is easily traced the entire length of the Gaim, and the croppings would seem to indicate that it will average from 5 to 7 feet in will average from 5 to 7 feet in will average from 5 to 7 feet in well and the complete of the cattle of the cattl

say returns of \$37 in gold and copper being secured from a strong and well defined 'cead. Joe Garby, of Rossland, owns a group of four claims on Treadomill creek, and on one of these has located a big body of free milling quarty that gives average surface assays of \$6 in gold.

J. P. Brooks has done several hundred dollars worth of work on the Lake Shore, and gets some nice copper ore. Cramer and Morrison own the Gold King and think it is going to turn out a bonanza. Quartz float has been picked up at different places along the lake shore that issays away up into the hundreds, and no doubt there will eventually be some very rich strikes made, mp that way, and portably in the near future. Go. A Cameron, who owns the Black Tail and Hisching Shire, on Stewart creek, has made as a strong and think the strikes made, mp that way, and or the strikes made mp that way, and or the strikes made mp that way and no fortably in the near future. Go. A Cameron, who owns the Black Tail and Hisching Shire, to Stewart creek, has made as a strong in the strikes made, mp that way, and or the strikes made mp that way and portably in the near future. Go. A Cameron, who owns the Black Tail and Hisching Shire, to Stewart creek, has been allowed by the strikes made in the strikes made mp that way and the strikes made mp that a strike the strikes and the strike and the strikes and the strike and

is known to be rich, but Mr. Cameron is very reticent about it. — Cascade Record

is to be installed on this property early next spring.

Owing to vater coming into the shaft work on the Bank of England claim has been suspended. Some very good ore, carrying a high pecentage of copper, has been taken out of this property.

The latest report from the Pathinder mine is that in the crosscut started from the No. 1 drift, to cut through to the hanging wall, about 10 feet has been cut through, all sides of the drift being in solid ore.

A Mountain of Rich Ore.

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The district of Southern Vale is full of surprises for ulning men. Nature has husbanded ber mineral riches in a manner that laughs at every mining precedent and bewilders the mining expert. When it was announced that a tunhel crossed the Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They are now being convinced that the big Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They are now being convinced that the big Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They are now being convinced that the big Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They are now being convinced that the big Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They are now being convinced that the big Knob Hill ledge for a distance of over four hundred feet mining men were incredulous. They know the best people in four continents will say so. It is a high-class incidence of the district brought the mining men is to be found in the Simi Known in Rostensy discredited, and the Victoria Times.

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the Similkameen country. He went in there last full and has been working several claims on Corner, mountain. This

FREE ART CLASSES.

The Boundary Country.

The Old Ironsides company has just placed on its property an additional shiking pump and an SO, ierse power looler.

It is reported that the Pay Ore mine is to be extensively worked during the coming season. The prospects of this property are said to be exceptionally good. Work is being pushed on the Pathfinder mine, in the North Fork district. A complete plant of machinery is to be installed on this property early next spring.

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NAPOLEON IN EVERGREEN.

The great Napoleon, done in evergreen let the unique struct that at ands in the garden of M. d'Aguilleres, in the surfect Paris. The statue is a perfect model of the "Little Corporal" in characteristic attitude, wearing a cocked hat and sword, and sauffbox in hand. The features are very lifelike. The greatest care is necessary in order to preserve the likeness, and every day the artist-gardiner spends considerable time in clipping of dead leaves and cutting away an occasional branch. The signature of Napoleon is reproduced at the foot of the statue in coleus plants.

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NEW WESTMINSTER.

Word was received on Sunday night by telegram from Cranbrook announc-ing the death of Mr. Charles E. Woods, an old resident of this city, Mr. Woods was a son of the late Venerable Arch-deacon Woods, of this city, and had been engaged for some time on the en-gineering staff of the Canadian Pacific railway, on the Crow's Nest Pass ex-tension. Much regret is felt at his sad-death.

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Mr. G. W. Grant has received instruc-ions to amend the plan for the new narket stables, so as to make them con-form to the by-law.

Nelson Center.

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Ada, daughter of Mr. Nelson Carter, of Port Hammond, died on Friday morning after a few days' illness. The-young lady was very popular, and held in high esteem in the neighborhood, and much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved parents in their sad loss.

the other night, it being the occasion of the farewell banquet given by Doric Lodge, A. F. & A. M., to R. W. Bro. F. McB. Young. The supper was laid at 10 o'clock. The dining room was nicely decorated for the occasion. The naul loasts were drunk and responded to.

A census of the town was taken last week, but is not yet revised, so it is mpossible to give the exact number of nabitants, but it is between 600 and

A Liberal Association was formed-here last week, with the following of-cers: President, E. Small: vice-presi-dept, Dr. J. A. King: secretary-treas-urer, A. Moffat. 17 is reported that the Bank of Mon-treal will open a branch at Cranbrook soon.

ROSSLAND.

Ernest Kennedy is back from Ymir, where he saw the successful start of the Dundee's new mill.

The new treatle which the C. P. R. is building across Centre Star gulch in order to reach the Centre Star and the War Eagle mines with its new broast gauge line is one of the highest in the province. It will be 126 feet high, and will require hundreds of thousands of feet of timber in its construction. A new surface gravity transway is now being built to carry the ore from the War Eagle's new hoist to the line now under construction to the Centre Star. The hoist will be in character similar to the one in use at the Le Roi, but will be more remutete in its fittings. The cars will be of the capacity of five tons each, and the transway will be completed early in March, and a narrow gauge track will be laid tensporarily over the new grade in order to handle the War Eagle's ore.

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great success and many visitors came from neighboring towns. Spokane being particularly well represented. Revelstoke won the Hudson. Bay curling trophy. Mr. F. W. Peters has been elected president of the Kootenay Curling Association. O. Jeldness, a Rossiand mining man, won the championshipskirunning of Canada. Jeldness also wop last year. Fred. Wells won the 3½ mile snow shoe championship.

The 1,000 feet of hose, reel, hydrants of other fire apparatus ordered from

The 1,000 feet of hose, reel, hydrants and other fire apparatus ordered from the Gitta Percha & Rubber Company. Toronto, has reached Bossburg and will be bere in a few days. An effort will be made to lay the water-pipe to Government street immediately.

W. F. Tye, chief engineer for the C. P. R., was in the city for several days last week. He stated that they expected to have the road completed by the list of June next. The road-would, be fuished before that time were it not for the fact that there are several bridges to be constructed in the vicinity of Arrow lakes.

R. H. Miller, a draughtsman with J. A. Odell, the C. P. R. engineer at Rock Creek, died at Rock Creek Monday afternoon. He lost his way the night previous on the trail leading to Beaver Creek and was found unconscious on Monday morning, and was taken to Greenwood for Dr. Oppenheimer, but the unfortunate man died before the doctor reached there. Mr. Miller was a sister living. "He was about 40 years of age, and was in the emiploy of the C.-P. R. in the kootenay for a number of years.

ween New Westminster, Victoria and Yancouver.

The Miocene company, of Horselly, intends erecting an electric plant at their mine this summer. The dynamo arrived at Ashcroft last week. Its capacity is 110 yells and it weighs 2,000 pounds, It will be shipped to its destination in a few days.

Several parties have returned lately from the Peace river country and from Omenica. As a rele they speak well of the country and will return.

Al Pocault came into town on Thursday and left again for his camp on the Boyea, where he has a gang of twenty men at work getting out logs for the sawmill to be erected in Ashcroft by Mr. Shields. The camp is situated about 45 miles from Kamloops, on the Boyea river, which will have to be cleared before the driving commences. Mr. Pocault is pleased with his winter's work so far, and estimates the amount of timber now cut to be in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 feet.

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One of the sublimest things in world is plain truth. Bulwer.



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PRIVATE BILLS NOTICE.

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Bills must be presented to the House not later than the 26th day of January.

Reports from committees on Private Bills will not be received after the 2nd of February, 1899.

Dated this 20th day of November, 1898.

Clerk Legislative Assembly.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY CO'Y.

NOTICE

and office, Victoria.

LEONARD H. SOLLY,
Land Commissioner.

Victoria, B.C., June, 1898.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that by an order of the Honorable Mr. Just'ee Drake, dated the 15th day of December, 1889. Jane Irving Partridge, was appointed administratrix of the estate of John Fartridge, into or the city, of Victoria, decessed, and the city, of Victoria, decessed are requested to send same to the unders'gned on or before the 18th day of March, 1899; and all persons indebted to the said deceased are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness to the undersigned forthwith.

McPHILLIPS, WOOTTON & BARNARD, Bank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, B.C., Solicitors for Administratrix.

NOTICE.

the owner of what are believed to be yaluable mining properties.

LAC LA HACHE.

D. A. Stewart arrived here a few days no with a special stage loaded with mail, which shows how correspondence has increased since postage has been reduced.

Mrs. S. Philippine had a marrow escape a few days ago. The horses which she was driving got scared and ran off at a forious rake, smashing the cutter and throwing her out, but, fortunate's, she escaped unniquired.

Frank Ecker, who has been superintending the wintering of H. L. Waiters's large band of cattle, spent a day in the valley this week.

J. B. Leighton, superintendent of the B.C.X. is in Cariboo on business connected with his company.

To be entirely relieved of the aches and palms of rhematism means a great deal and Hood's Sarsaparilla does it.

In a recent letter from Washington, D. C. to an old friend. Major G. A. Stader, for twenty years Unifed States Consul at Singapore, says: While at Des Moines L became acquainted with a liniment known as Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I found excellent against rheumatism as well as against socieness: of the throat and chest (giving me much causer breathing). I had a tonch of panenmonia early this week, and two applications freely applied to the throat and chest relieved me of it at once. I would not be without it for one than the province in the province of British Columbia connection with the said railway works and the power to collect the supply of the province of British Columbia connection with the said railway works and the superintendent of the B.C.X. is in Cariboo on business connected with his company.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the British Yukon Mining, Frading and Transportation. Company will apply to the Parliament of Gardiner of Gardine

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I shall apply of the next sitting of the Court of License Commissioners for a transfer of the license now hild by me. C. W. Cleminson, for the refull sale of wines and liquors and beers on the premises known as the Hall Saloon, Fort street, to E. G. Walker.

Take notice that I shall, at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of Victoria, apply for transfer of all my interest in the above deense to Frederick Wilson Stubbs.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1890.

I concur in the above, T. Hoppurp.

I concur in the above, J. T. HOPPER.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the City of Yictoria, I. Romano Quaglotti, intend to apply for a transfer to Charles Poingdestre Le Lieure of the license now held by me to sell spirituous Houors by retail on the premises known as the "Horseshoe," formerly called the "Nickel Plate."

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The Hull of an Unknown Vessel and a Large Assortment of Wreckage Found Near Quatsino.

The Post Office at Quatsino Robbed by Some Undiscovered Thief-A Big Ore Shipment,

They of the waterfront are to-day discussing the identity of a mysterious wreck, the report of the finding of which by siwashes in the neighborhood of Quatsino was brought by the steamer wreek, the report of the finding of which by siwashes in the neighborhood of Quatsino was brought by the steamer Queen City, now in port from the west coast. Capt. Hughes says the coast is littered with all sorts and kinds of wreekage from Quatisno to Cape Scott, but the sea was rugning too high and the weather too thick to allow of investigation. When the Queen City was, at Quatsino Indians brought a report that the hull of a large vessel had drifted fir on the rocks outside the harrist of the the hull of a large vessel had drifted fir on the rocks outside the harrist of the description of the wreek, and the only means of identification whatever was a portion of a name board brought in by one of the Indians. This beizg badly defaced, however, falled to furnish any proof as to the identity of the mysterious wreek. A boat from some wreekad vessel, some cases of fish and packages of merchandise, together with some life buoys and planking, bulwarks and portions of a ship's deck house, have also been found by the Indians, but on none was there anything by which some solution as to what vessel had met with disaster could be obtained. To the south of Quatsino Indians picked up a life proserver and a box of tobseco, marked SS. Protection, which must have drifted from the Columbia, off which the unfortunate steam schooner Protection was wreckage found.

Quatsino was the scene of a robbery on January 24th, two days before the arrival of the Queen City. Some unknown thief broke into the residence of Postmaster Norgay and stole between \$300 and \$400, besides the letters and the stamps and paraphernalia of the Office. No trace has been found of the Creeks near Cape Cormoral and a number of prospectors are hurrying thither from different coast points. The Queen City took up a number.

The Queen City brought down about a hundred tons of-ore, 1,350 sacks in ait, from Hayes camp, which will be taken to Tacoma this evening by the steamer City of Kingston. Mr. Hayes was an passenger down. Other passengers were Miss Bailly, F. V.

NEWS FROM KOYOKUK.

The fifty-two town lots which were left over from the annual tax sale in November were auctioned off at the City Hall this afternoon by the city treasurer.

A hacking cough is a dangerous cough.

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Premier Semlin Shows Up the Falsity o Statements Made by the Colonist and by Candidate Richard Hall.

No Damage Whatever Done to Parliament Buildings by Leaking Roof - Warning to Untrethful Stump Speakers.

Speaking at the small opposition meeting on Saturday evening at Spring-Ridge, Mr. Richard Hall, apparently thinking there was safety in the want of numbers, indulged in some statements so glaringly devoid of any foundation that when they were read in the Colombia was the meeting they caused that when they were read in the Colonist report of the meeting they caused general surprise that even so inexperienced a polisician and debater as Mr. Hall should have made use of them. Mr. Hall tried to rebut the fact that he government are the friends of the

workingmen, and in doing so said: workingmen, and in doing so said;

"The snow had confe and had been' left lying on the roof (of the parliament buildings), where its weight found a flaw in the slates and a leak that caused perhaps \$500 or \$400 worth of damage-because the government so friendly to the 'workingman' sould not think of paying for the labor of two men at \$2 a day to clean off the snow, as a private individual would have done."

A Times reporter this merning called upon Hon. Premier Semlin to obtain from him a statement of the facts of the case, and, as will be anticipated by those who have any knowledge of the policy of the government and the efficiency of those in charge of the departments, it was found that Mr. Hall was guilty of gross deception. The Premier said:

"In regard to that matter, I may say that when my attention was called to the fact that the root was leaking I spoke to Mr. Gore about the matter and he replied that this was the first snow storm of any extent since the building was completed, and that immediately his attention was called to the matter he

was confideted, and that the matter he attention was called to the matter he AT ONCE PUT MEN TO WORK TO SHOVEL THE SNOW OFF.

"In regard to Mr. Hall's statement that the buildings were injured to the extent of \$200 step \$400. IT 18 ABSO LUTE NONSENSE, FOR NO DAMAGE WHATEVER HAS BEEN DONE."

Mr. Gore, deputy commissioner of lands and works, was also seen, and he confirmed to the fullest extent everything the Premier had said.

Can campaign statements, made simply for the purpose of misleading the electors, be imagined more utterly at variance with the truth than these transparent prevarications of candidate Hall?

Hall? was so safe in his assurance that with only a faithful few present there would be no possibility of denial, that he went on to talk about the government and the grounds at the parliament buildings.

Perhaps he didn't think the Colonist world over report them and the grounds that the world over report them and the colonist world over report them. But Mr. Hall didn't stop there. would even report them and may have blushed to find himself not only credited with the statement but that it was also dignified by being made use of editorially by the opposition organ. He said:

"Almost the first thing they had done on assuming power was to discharge the few men who were improving the government grounds, in order to save the small pittance of the wages, leaving the grounds with trees as they had fallen weeks ago—a disgrace to the city and province."

which is the better policy in the in-terest of the working men and of the city, the policy of the Turner govern-ment, which, without authorization, in-curred enormous liabilities, or that of the Semiin administration, which says: "AFTER THE MONEY HAS BEEN VOTED THESE IMPROVEMENTS WILL BE CARRIED OUT?"

-"To-morrow is the last day but four of the great Westside Bargain Sale."

Joseph Brown died at Irish Creek. Ont., on Saturday morning from small-pox. Every precaution is being taken to prevent the spread of the disease. The deceased was a brother of Mr. G. E. G. Brown, of Cuthbert & Co., Trounce avenue, and a nephew of Mr. J. Brown, of the Albion hotel. He was employed in the general store and postoffice at Irish Creek.

HODGE On the 29th Inst., the wife william Hodge, 19 Oscar street, of daughter. DIED.

Miss M. McNiffe was a passenger from an Francisco by the steamer Walla present at the approaching ber father, Col. Prior, M.P.

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Sporting Intelligence.

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The golf enthwinsts had two good days'
play on Friday and Saturday in the ladies'
and gentlemen's menthly medal competitions, the results being as follows Monthly Medal C Ladies.

Match play against

BASKET BALL.

A Ladics Match.

The members of the J.B.A.A. ladies' basket ball team have been practising assiduously for some weeks, looking forturard to a meeting with a team from Seattle. Arrangements are now almost completed for this event, and it will be pulled off about the middle of next month. Miss Dorothy Sehi has been elected captain of the local ladies' aggregation and Wiss Anita Goodwin secretary-treasurer.

Claims Give Good Returns—A Chicago
Man Drowned.

Steamer Seattle, which, after a record thy reached Seattle this morning, brangs the first news of the much-talked-of Koyokuk district since winter set in Bed-rock had been struck on various claims with excellent returns. There are about 1.500 people in the district and thirty odd stern-wheelers on the Koyokuk river.

A correspondent of the Post-Intelligence, writes from Koyokuk river telling of the drowing of John C. Tait, of Chicago, on September 28, 1838, eight miles north of Peavy, by the capsizing of his canoe. The body floated under the ice, but was afterwards recovered. Mr. Tait was general manager of the Anska Union Mining Company, of Chicago, Hie carried a life, morning of the carried a life, morning to the late election the building stone at John and the candidate and his organ are so the form of the part of the sale J. Stanley Keefe took place from the Salvation Army barracks yesterday afterpason. The members of the I.O.O.F., of which decaged was a member, dozether with the Army, followed the remains to M. Cameron, J. Forter, and B. S. J. Stanley The M. Cameron, J. Forter, and J. F. Raitt, and J. J. Forter, and J. F. Raitt, and J. J. Forter, and J. F. Raitt, and J. J. J. The fifty-two town lots which were left over from the annual arrangements were in the hands of W. J. Hanna.

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The Columbia Intermediates and the Vic-toria Intermediates do buttle on Saturday user in the Intermediate chamoloushies series. The place of diffict is Reacon IIII, and the kick-off will take place at 2.30, sharp.

Victoria Team Successf

seemed to wake up, but owing to an unfertunate rap on the hand, Scholefield, one of Victoria's best men, was rendered almost hors de combat; and the good sork for the home team, who, before half time was called, secured a good pane and the good sork for the home team, who, before half time was called, secured a good pane. A very short for the home team, who, before half time was called, secured a good game. A very short for half time was called, in fact, play was resumed almost immediately, which was much appreciated by the spectators, sho by that time were almost frozen. Some very lively scriminages took place and both sides seemed determined on with knocked out, which necessitated a little delay, but finally, before time was called. Futcher managed to secure unther goal for the home team, thus giving them the victory, the game standson of the game three cheers were given for Vancouver, and in reply three works and time the establishment of a hockey with in this eity. For Vancouver, Mahon and Morley did excellent work, as did also loved, who protected his good in his usual brilliant style. For Vancouver, Mahon and Morley did excellent work, as did also loved, who protected his good in his usual brilliant style. For Vancouver, Mahon and Morley did excellent work, as did also good. Swiperton and Maclean at back, Vaughan at half and Futcher at forward deserve special mention.

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